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TO: ALL COUNTY CLERKS/REGISTRARS OF VOTERS AND  
PROPONENT (08170)

FROM:   
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SUBJECT: FAILURE OF INITIATIVE #1297

Pursuant to Elections Code section 9030(b), you are hereby notified that the total number of signatures to the hereinafter named initiative statute filed with all county elections officials is less than 100 percent of the number of qualified voters required to find the petition sufficient; therefore, the petition has **failed**.

TITLE: TANGIBLE BALLOTS. DIRECT RECORDING  
ELECTRONIC DEVICES. STATUTE.

SUMMARY DATE: 11/26/07

PROPONENT: Harry V. Lehmann